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Applicant: Joseph Kevin Gogerty Date: February 28, 2003
Serial No.: 09/760,149 Group Art Unit: 1638
Filed January 12, 2001 Examiner: David T. Fox
For: INBRED MAIZE LINE PH726

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed herewith is an Amendment and Request for Reconsideration Under 37 CFR §. 1.111 to Office Action Mailed October 30, 2002

Applicant(s) hereby petition for an extension of time for response from the date of the Examiner's action as needed, the fee being as follows:

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